GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services - Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Executive Branch) Rules, 1992 – Ad-hoc Promotions - Appointment by promotion / Appointment by transfer to certain eligible Tahsildars / Section Officers as Deputy Collectors on purely temporary / Ad- hoc basis in the Departmental Promotion Committee for the Ad-hoc Panel Year 2024-2025 – Hon'ble High Court orders in WA Nos. 982 to 985 of 2025- Extension of Adhoc Panel Year 2024-25 upto 22.10.2025 in relaxation of Rule 6 of A.P. State and Sub-ordinate Service Rules,1996- Orders – Issued.

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REVENUE (SER-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.383 **Dated:16.10.2025.**

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.1066, Revenue (Ser-I) Department, dated 26.10.1992.
2. G.O.Rt.No.840, Revenue (Ser.I) Department, Dated 04.08.2025.
3. WP.No.21099/2025, Orders of the Hon'ble High Court of A.P., dt.29-08-2025.
4. Common Orders of the Hon'ble High Court of AP in WA Nos. 982, 983, 984 and 985 of 2025, Dt. 23.09.2025.
5. Memo.No.REV02-32021/ 28/2021- SER-II- SEC- CCLA- part(1), Dt.13.10.2025.
6. From the CCLA, A.P., Lr.No. REV02-31021/8/2023-SERVICES I-SEC-CCLA, Dt.14.10.2025.
7. G.O.Rt.No. 1266, Revenue (Vig.I) Department, Dt. 16.10.2025
8. From the General Administration Dept., U.O.Note No.2925566/GA (SU-I)/2025, dt.16.10.2025
9. Remarks of CCLA&Spl.C.S., received in e-office file Comp.No.2916036

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O R D E R:

In the reference 2nd read above, the Government have approved the estimated Deputy Collector vacancies of 37 (Thirty Seven only). Out of which 33-retirement, 1-death and 3-reserve for the adhoc panel year 2024-2025 for effecting promotions/appointment by transfer on adhoc basis and requested the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh to take necessary action in the matter.

2. Sri K.Ganapathi Rao, Tahsildar, who was allotted under APPSC Notification 10/99 to Revenue Department under the 3rd round, has filed WP No.21099 of 2025 with a request to consider his case for promotion to the post of Deputy Collector, as the Government has not included his name in the adhoc panel year 2024-2025 with a reason that as he has not completed minimum service of 2 years. The Hon'ble Learned Single Judge of the Hon'ble High Court of A.P. in the reference 3rd read above, passed orders as stated below:

"this Court is not inclined to vacate the interim order passed on 13.08.2025 and the Respondents shall consider the case of Petitioner and persons similarly situated for promotion to the cadre of Deputy Collector taking the notional date of officiation as prescribed in G.O.Ms.No.428 dated 08.06.2022 from 01.09.2008 in the cadre of Tahsildar including for calculating the qualifying service from the said date.

The vacate stay applications i.e. I.A.Nos.3, 4, 5 and 8 are accordingly dismissed...."

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3. Against the above orders, Government have filed Writ Appeals before the Hon'ble High Court of A.P. in WA Nos.982, 983, 984 and 985 of 2025 and the Hon'ble High Court of A.P. is pleased to allow the WAs and passed the following orders on 23.09.2025:

"14. In view of the statement made by the learned Advocate General that after completion of two (02) years of service of the 1st respondent in the cadre of Tahsildar he will be considered for promotion to the post of Deputy Collector for the panel year 2025-26 and he will be placed above than the implead petitioners, in our considered view no prejudice will be caused to the 1st respondent. In view of the interim order of this Court, the entire process of promotion to the post of Deputy Collectors are stalled and admittedly, the panel year 2024-25 expired and the extension of validity of the panel year granted by the learned Single Judge also expired.

15. In view of the aforesaid mentioned facts and reasons, we are inclined to set aside the order passed by the learned single Judge on 29.08.2025 in I.A.Nos.3,4,5 and 8 of 2025 in W.P.No.21099 of 2025 and order, dated 13.08.2025 passed by the learned Single Judge of the Court in W.P.No.21099 of 2025 against which the vacate petitions are filed in I.A.Nos.3,4,5 and 8 of 2025.

16. Accordingly, the order passed by the learned Single Judge on 29.08.2025 in I.A.Nos.3,4,5 and 8 of 2025 in W.P.No.21099 of 2025 and order, dated 13.08.2025 in W.P.No.21099 of 2025 are hereby set aside. The validity of the panel year of 2024-25 is hereby extended for a period of four (04) weeks from today.

17. With the above directions, the Writ Appeals are allowed."

4. In pursuance of the orders of Hon'ble High Court, in the reference 5th read above, Government after careful consideration of the matter, have extended validity of the adhoc panel year of 2024-25 for promotion/appointment by transfer to the post of Deputy Collector upto 22.10.2025 in relaxation of Rule-6 of A.P. State and Sub Ordinate Service Rules, 1996 and requested the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh to take necessary action in the matter.

5. Accordingly, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., has convened the Departmental Promotion Committee on 14.10.2025 and recommended and included certain names of the Tahsildars /Section Officers as per their seniority / eligibility and furnished the list of eligible candidates for ad-hoc promotion as Deputy Collectors to the Government vide reference 6th read above.

6. Meanwhile, in the G.O. 7th read above, Government have dropped further action in disciplinary proceedings against Sri B. Neelakanta Rao, the then Tahsildar, Jami Mandal, Vizianagaram District. Therefore, his name is to be considered as he is in zone of consideration of promotion and as per his temporary seniority, he is to be placed below Sri N.Chandrasekhar Reddy and above Smt. B.Anuradha for temporary/ Adhoc promotion to the post of Deputy Collector.

7. While so, in the reference 8th cited, the General Administration Department has issued clarification that in respect of the seniority of Sri N. Srinivasulu, Section Officer shall not be feasible for inclusion in the ad-hoc panel for the panel year 2024-25 for effecting ad-hoc promotion to the category of Deputy Collector from the feeder categories, since "dies non" orders were issued against the individual based on his disobedience of the Government orders & in the panel year comes under the period of "dies non" issued under FR18 for all purposes. Therefore,the names of Sri D. Elisha and Sri V. Nageswara Rao are included in the ad-hoc panel at appropriate places as per their seniority list communicated by the General Administration Department.

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8. Aftercareful examination of the matter, Government hereby approves the minutes of the Departmental Promotion Committee with the above modifications, for the ad-hoc panel of Deputy Collectors for the panel year 2024-2025 in relaxation of Rule 6 of AP State and Subordinate Service Rules , 1996 and also in compliance of Orders of Hon'ble High Court in WA Nos.982, 983, 984 and 985 of 2025 accordingly, here by issue the following notification for temporary promotion / appointment by transfer to the following Tahsildars / Section Officers as Deputy Collectors purely on ad-hoc basis and the same shall be published in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette:-

NOTIFICATION

Under Rule 10 (a) of Andhra Pradesh State and Subordinate Service Rules,1996, the following Tahsildars / Section Officers are hereby appointed to the cadre of Deputy Collector (Category-II) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Executive Branch) Rules, 1992 on purely temporary / ad-hoc basis for the panel year 2024-25 in relaxation of Rule 6 of AP State and Subordinate Service Rules, 1996 and in compliance of the orders of Hon'ble High Court of A.P. in WA Nos.982, 983, 984 and 985 of 2025 in the Revised Pay Scales –2022 of Rs.61960- 151370.

Sl.No	Roster Point	Name of the Tahsildar / Section Officer	Designation
	70 (Carry Forward) CU (CCLA-CSSLR)	On hold due to pending case before the Hon'ble High Court of AP	
1.	45	Madhusudhana Lambadi	Tahsildar
2.	46	G.Sujatha	Tahsildar
3.	47 SC (G-III) - AR	R.Sivaramudu	Tahsildar
4.	72 SC (G-III) CU (CCLA-CSSLR)	On hold due to pending case before the Hon'ble High Court of AP	
5.	48	Madakam Savithri	Tahsildar
6.	49	Y Narendranath Reddy	Tahsildar
7.	50	N Chandrasekhara Reddy	Tahsildar
8.	51	Bondada Neelakanta Rao	Tahsildar
9.	52 SC (G-II)-AR	B Anuradha	Tahsildar
10.	53	B.Rajinikath	Tahsildar
11.	54	V.Suswagatham	Tahsildar
12.	55	MVS Narayana Reddy	Tahsildar
13.	56	K.Nagamalleswara Rao	Tahsildar
14.	73 CU (GAD)	D.Elisha	Section Officer
15.	57	Ratnakumar Bonthu	Tahsildar
16.	58 (ST) - AR	Korada Srinivasa Rao	Tahsildar
17.	59	Intiyaz Pasha Shaik	Tahsildar

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18.	60	M.Purnachandra Rao	Tahsildar
19.	61	K.Sambasiva Rao	Tahsildar
20.	62 SC(G-III) - AR	Sri Ramulu Kancharana	Tahsildar
21.	63	K.Gopala Krishna	Tahsildar
22.	64	K Madhava Krishna Reddy	Tahsildar
23.	65	M. Surya Rao	Tahsildar
24.	74 CU (CCLA - CSSLR)	On hold due to pending case before the Hon'ble High Court of AP	
25.	66 SC (G-II) - AR	Racharla Appalaraju	Tahsildar
26.	67	Govinda Taddi	Tahsildar
27.	68	Patruni Madhusudana Rao	Tahsildar
28.	69	B Sivarami Reddy	Tahsildar
29.	70	Maradana Aruna Kumari	Tahsildar
30.	71	Sk Mahaboob Basha	Tahsildar
31.	72 SC (G-III) - AR	T Rajeswara Rao	Tahsildar
32.	73	Vadaboyana Padmavathi	Tahsildar
33.	74	B Somala	Tahsildar
34.	75 (ST) CU (GAD) - AR	V. Nageswara Rao	Section Officer
35.	75 (ST) - AR	Kakara Anandarao	Tahsildar
36.	76	G Nagaraju	Tahsildar
37.	77 SC (G-II) - AR	G Kanakaraju	Tahsildar

9. The above appointment by promotion / appointment by transfer ordered on purely temporary / ad-hoc basis and are subject to the following conditions:-

(i) the placement of officers as shown above (i.e., Sl. No. & Roster Point) is not based on the seniority.

(ii) the above Tahsildars / Section Officers considered for ad-hoc / temporary promotions / transfers for the post of Deputy Collectors will be cleared by the Departmental Promotion Committee in the regular panels to be conducted in future based on their seniority.

(iii) the appointment is purely temporary under emergency provisions and does not confer any right of any kind on the individual who is liable to be reverted at any time without prior notice and without assigning any reasons thereof and the excess amount drawn, if any, in this category will be recovered;

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(iv) the officer shall not be regarded as a Probationer or be entitled by reason only of such appointment to any preferential claim for future appointment to such service, class or category. Their services will be regularized against the substantive vacancy meant for them only, till such time the officer has to work on temporary / ad-hoc basis in the cadre of Deputy Collector;

(v) the adhoc promotions accorded are subject to outcome of pending O.As/ W.Ps/ SLPs, respectively and any other cases pending before any court of law;

(vi) the appointment is also subject to joining of the Officer in the promoted post within the stipulated time of 15 (fifteen) days from the date of receipt of the order (i.e. Promotion & Posting) as specified in rule 11(b) of A.P. State & Subordinate Service Rules, 1996, failing which he/she would forfeit the right of promotion / appointment by transfer to the cadre of Deputy Collector.

(vii) the posting orders to the above officers will be issued separately by the General Administration (SC.B) Department based on the vacancies available, till such time they shall continue in their present post / place of working.

10. The District Collectors concerned are therefore requested to relieve the Tahsildars concerned, only on their posting as Deputy Collector, so as to enable them to joining in their new assignment.

11. The Higher Education (OP) Department and General Administration (Poll.A) Department are therefore requested to relieve the above Section Officers concerned, only on their postings as Deputy Collector, so as to enable them to join in their new assignments.

12. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri shall take necessary further action in the matter and also furnish the posting proposal of the above officers.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G JAYALAKSHMI
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, APIIC Towers, A.P., Mangalagiri, Guntur District.
The Tahsildars concerned through CCLA., AP, Mangalagiri
The Section Officers concerned through their concerned (OP) Department.
The Commissioner, Printing Stationery & Stores Purchase, A.P., Vijayawada.
The District Collector Concerned.
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The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, A.P., Mangalagiri.
The District Treasury Officer Concerned.
The Higher Education (OP) Department.
The General Administration (Poll.A) Department.
The General Administration (SU-I) Department
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The General Administration (SC.B) Department.
The Revenue (Vig.I) Department.
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SECTION OFFICER